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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF

DOCKET NO. TA-00523

Slade H. Gardner

SERIAL NO.: 10/044,438

EXAMINER:

Stefan Staicovici

FILED: 01/11/2002

TITLE: Carbon Layup Tape With Fugitive Binder

GROUP ART UNIT: 1732

and Method of Use

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed March 23, 2004, Applicant elects

Group I, claims 1-21.

Respectfully submitted,

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